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DEFIBRILLATION WAVEFORM FOR USE IN AN IMPLANTABLE  
CARDIOVERTER/DEFIBRILLATOR (ICD)**

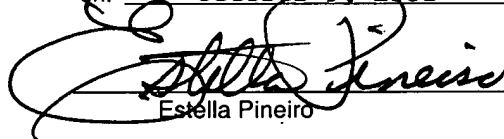
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Respectfully submitted,

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